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Miss Fire is a well constructed Horse, mechanically speaking, for her horse flesh is all metal. She is propelled just like an auto, or motorcycle, and gasoline is her life-blood. Of course, with a string of thoroughbreds entered in the great Brown Derby, a mere mechanical racer like Miss Fire is rated as a dark horse. But, Billy Dog and Chic Cat have confidence in their equine experiment. Both place heavy bets on their steed. In his enthusiasm, Billy pawns all his clothes to lay wagers on Miss Fire. With Chic as chauffeur-jokey, Miss Fire is cranked up and starts for the track. It is a gala occasion, all the denizens of animaldom are out en masse. Bets are heavy on all but Miss Fire. The Horses are brought out before the grand stand and make their bows. Then they line up for the start. Miss Fire runs true to her name and will not toe the mark. Bang! The horses are off! A few seconds later Chic manages to get Miss Fire under control and she dashes down the track after the others. What Chic lacks in driving ability he possess in trickery. When he gets half way around the track, he transfers his steed's head to the rear. Then, the horse splits in half to the disdain of her rider who soon brings the parts together. Once again Miss Fire is in running. Chic extends's his horse's head, like a monkey-on-a-stick, and makes the other steeds quicken their paces. Once again, Chic transfers the location of his equine's head and gets the lead. Then-----Miss Fire comes to grief when she breaks in half, falling in a heap. Billy Dog rushes out upon the track with a wheelbarrow and picks up the fallen beast and rider. He then wheels Miss Fire at super-speed, and once more she gains the lead in the great race. All the while Chic has held his reins and levers. Miss Fire crosses the finish line and collapses. The also-rans soon follow over the line. All the onlookers are enraged by the trickery practiced by Chic, Billy and their mechanical horse, Miss Fire. So, the crowd showers the disgraced animals with brick-bats and bottles. The unfair winners are losers.

Moral: Thus we learn that-----"Honesty is the best policy".

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